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500 foot-candles nor be used to illuminate any one item for more than five minutes. The use of high intensity lighting in an exhibit area may not exceed one hour.

(b) Ladders, scaffolding, and tripods may be used before regular hours, but must be kept at a distance from documents greater than the height of the equipment.

(c) Auxiliary power units may be used. Existing lights will not be replaced by higher wattage or intensity lights. A NARA electrician must be present at all times whenever there is a change to the normal power supply. Organizations who film after regular hours will be billed for the electrician's time.

[39 FR 11885, Apr. 1, 1974. Redesignated and amended at 50 FR 15723, 15728, Apr. 19, 1985; 52 FR 23822, June 25, 1987. Further redesignated and amended at 55 FR 29577, July 20, 1990; 55 FR 33904, Aug. 20, 1990]

§1280.20 The National Archives Library.

The National Archives Library is operated to meet the needs of researchers and NARA staff members. Other persons desiring to use library materials will generally be referred to public libraries and other possible sources of such materials.

[33 FR 4885, Mar. 22, 1968. Redesignated at 50 FR 15723, Apr. 19, 1985. Further redesignated at 55 FR 29577, July 20, 1990; 55 FR 33904, Aug. 20, 1990]

§1280.22 National Archives Theater and conference rooms.

The theater in the National Archives Building was designed and will be used primarily for furnishing reference services on the motion picture holdings of National Archives. Conference rooms in the National Archives Building will be used for conferences and official meetings. When not required for such uses, conference rooms may be assigned to other organizations. Application for use of a room will be approved only if the purpose for which it is requested is educational or is related to the programs of the National Archives and Records Administration. The theater and conference rooms shall not be used to promote commercial enterprises or commodities, for political,

sectarian, or similar purposes, or for meetings sponsored by profitmaking organizations. Use of the theater and conference rooms will not be authorized for any organization or group of individuals that engages in discriminatory practices proscribed in the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 U.S.C. 2000a, note).

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§ 1280.24 Application for outside use of National Archives Theater and conference rooms.

- (a) Applications for use of the theater and conference rooms shall be submitted in writing by the head of the requesting organization, or his duly authorized representative, at least 1 week in advance of the requested use. Applications for use shall be addressed to National Archives (NA), Washington, DC 20408, and shall include the following information:
- (1) The name of the requesting organization;
- (2) The date and the hours of contemplated use;
- (3) A brief description of the programs:
- (4) The number of persons expected to attend the meeting or performance (The capacity of the theater is 216 persons; conference rooms accommodate between 35 and 70 persons.);
- (5) A statement regarding the intention to exhibit motion pictures or slides and, if so, the size (35mm or 16mm) of the film or slides, and whether the film to be shown is on nitrate or safety base; and
- (6) Samples of any literature, folders, or posters to be distributed or exhibited at the meeting or performance.
- (b) No program will be permitted to continue beyond 10 p.m.
- (c) Applications for use on Saturdays, Sundays, holidays, or at times when the building is closed will be considered if fully justified.
- (d) No admission fee will be charged, no indirect assessment will be made for admission, and no collection will be taken except as specifically authorized by the Archivist of the United States for special nonprofit-making events